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## Introduction

Each quarter, the Department of Employment Service (DOES) publishes *Covered Employment and Wages*. These comprehensive tables of employment activity include government and private sectors; federal and state government; and all other sectors of the economy – goods producing, service producing, financial, and leisure and hospitality.

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# Covered Employment and Wages

## District of Columbia

Covered employment and wages are based on unemployment insurance tax reports of employers subject to unemployment insurance laws.

These tables are generated from statistics produced by the District of Columbia's Covered Employment and Wages (ES-202) Program, in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. They provide information about the basic industrial profile of the District's economy. The data are generated and published quarterly and annually.

For more information about covered employment and wages, please turn to page 8.

### SECTOR/INDUSTRY

### SECOND QUARTER 2003 \*

SECTOR/INDUSTRY	NAICS Code **	Number of Reporting Units	Employment			Quarterly Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage Per Worker***
			April	May	June			
<b>TOTAL EMPLOYMENT AND WAGES</b>		<b>29,394</b>	<b>649,146</b>	<b>651,732</b>	<b>654,419</b>	<b>651,766</b>	<b>\$9,729,888,070</b>	<b>\$1,148</b>
<b>GOVERNMENT SECTOR</b>		<b>317</b>	<b>230,291</b>	<b>230,843</b>	<b>232,541</b>	<b>231,225</b>	<b>\$4,081,340,868</b>	<b>\$1,358</b>
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT		277	192,472	193,211	195,134	193,606	\$3,563,880,906	\$1,416
STATE GOVERNMENT								
PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION		40	37,819	37,632	37,407	37,619	\$517,459,962	\$1,058
<b>PRIVATE SECTOR</b>		<b>29,077</b>	<b>418,855</b>	<b>420,889</b>	<b>421,878</b>	<b>420,541</b>	<b>\$5,648,547,202</b>	<b>\$1,033</b>
<b>GOODS-PRODUCING</b>		<b>1,136</b>	<b>15,300</b>	<b>15,190</b>	<b>15,449</b>	<b>15,313</b>	<b>\$185,818,975</b>	<b>\$933</b>
<b>NATURAL RESOURCES &amp; MINING</b>	<b>11 &amp; 21</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>\$1,607,976</b>	<b>\$2,811</b>
<b>CONSTRUCTION</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>792</b>	<b>12,688</b>	<b>12,593</b>	<b>12,836</b>	<b>12,706</b>	<b>\$144,831,448</b>	<b>\$877</b>
Construction of buildings	236	309	4,669	4,406	4,533	4,536	\$55,791,096	\$946
Residential building construction	2361	120	1,147	1,120	1,133	1,133	\$11,776,277	\$800
Nonresidential building construction	2362	189	3,522	3,286	3,400	3,403	\$44,014,819	\$995
Heavy and civil engineering construction	237	122	2,153	2,138	2,195	2,162	\$32,187,302	\$1,145
Utility system construction	2371	33	247	226	236	236	\$3,109,333	\$1,013
Land subdivision	2372	45	522	522	526	523	\$11,468,736	\$1,687
Highway, street, and bridge construction	2373	26	1,254	1,252	1,286	1,264	\$13,861,169	\$844
Other heavy construction	2379	18	130	138	147	138	\$3,748,064	\$2,089
Specialty trade contractors	238	361	5,866	6,049	6,108	6,008	\$56,853,050	\$728
Building foundation and exterior contractors	2381	87	1,531	1,559	1,590	1,560	\$13,083,306	\$645
Building equipment contractors	2382	154	2,849	2,737	2,707	2,764	\$32,061,155	\$892
Building finishing contractors	2383	83	1,168	1,329	1,381	1,293	\$8,961,789	\$533
Other specialty trade contractors	2389	37	318	424	430	391	\$2,746,800	\$540
<b>MANUFACTURING</b>	<b>31-33</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>2,568</b>	<b>2,553</b>	<b>2,569</b>	<b>2,563</b>	<b>\$39,379,551</b>	<b>\$1,182</b>
Food manufacturing	311	24	400	387	398	395	\$3,762,002	\$733
Bakeries and tortilla manufacturing	3118	11	370	359	369	366	\$3,107,870	\$653
Textile product mills	314	8	30	31	32	31	\$195,099	\$484
Apparel manufacturing	315	11	20	20	20	20	\$135,758	\$522
Cut and sew apparel manufacturing	3152	11	20	20	20	20	\$135,758	\$522
Paper manufacturing	322	5	12	12	10	11	\$117,819	\$824
Printing and related support activities	323	96	941	935	937	938	\$9,840,250	\$807
Petroleum and coal products manufacturing	324	5	61	64	64	63	\$1,277,311	\$1,560
Chemical manufacturing	325	31	145	145	152	147	\$4,546,497	\$2,379
Pharmaceutical and medicine manufacturing	3254	19	130	130	137	132	\$3,441,194	\$2,005
Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing	327	11	106	104	104	105	\$1,215,396	\$890
Primary metal manufacturing	331	5	12	12	12	12	\$704,301	\$4,515
Fabricated metal product manufacturing	332	7	71	72	69	71	\$1,445,668	\$1,566
Machinery manufacturing	333	16	42	40	40	41	\$888,937	\$1,668
Computer and electronic product manufacturing	334	57	341	342	345	343	\$9,782,640	\$2,194
Audio and video equipment manufacturing	3343	4	8	8	9	8	\$385,463	\$3,706
Electronic instrument manufacturing	3345	11	92	90	89	90	\$1,645,851	\$1,407
Magnetic media manufacturing & reproduction	3346	17	28	29	29	29	\$355,969	\$944
Transportation equipment manufacturing	336	6	62	62	61	62	\$1,420,728	\$1,763
Furniture and related product manufacturing	337	17	132	129	131	131	\$1,629,539	\$957
Miscellaneous manufacturing	339	19	163	166	157	162	\$1,786,794	\$848

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## SECTOR/INDUSTRY

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		April	May	June			
<b>SERVICE-PRODUCING (PRIVATE)</b>	<b>27,941</b>	<b>403,555</b>	<b>405,699</b>	<b>406,429</b>	<b>405,228</b>	<b>\$5,462,728,227</b>	<b>\$1,037</b>
<b>TRADE, TRANSPORTATION &amp; UTILITIES</b>	<b>2,619</b>	<b>27,206</b>	<b>27,253</b>	<b>27,732</b>	<b>27,397</b>	<b>\$268,531,890</b>	<b>\$754</b>
<b>WHOLESALE TRADE</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>4,439</b>	<b>4,462</b>	<b>4,454</b>	<b>\$75,726,837</b>	<b>\$1,308</b>
Merchant wholesalers, durable goods	423	189	2,253	2,253	2,241	\$39,832,249	\$1,362
Motor vehicle and parts merchant wholesalers	4231	14	141	141	138	\$2,544,347	\$1,398
Furniture and furnishing merchant wholesalers	4232	49	143	145	144	\$1,735,160	\$927
Lumber and construction supply merchant wholesalers	4233	6	33	33	33	\$391,297	\$912
Commercial equip. merchant wholesalers	4234	68	1,181	1,181	1,184	\$20,885,990	\$1,359
Electric goods merchant wholesalers	4236	17	579	582	576	\$11,265,681	\$1,497
Hardware and plumbing merchant wholesalers	4237	14	91	88	89	\$1,422,912	\$1,230
Machinery and supply merchant wholesalers	4238	14	78	75	72	\$1,453,668	\$1,491
Merchant wholesalers, nondurable goods	424	208	1,823	1,850	1,844	\$29,858,398	\$1,246
Druggists' goods merchant wholesalers	4242	37	168	169	175	\$11,767,580	\$5,173
Apparel and piece goods merchant wholesalers	4243	16	60	61	60	\$588,146	\$754
Grocery and related product wholesalers	4244	76	693	715	706	\$6,016,886	\$657
Chemical merchant wholesalers	4246	11	44	45	45	\$676,032	\$1,156
Alcoholic beverage merchant wholesalers	4248	27	590	588	587	\$7,594,013	\$995
Miscellaneous non-durable goods merchant wholesalers	4249	31	223	228	232	\$2,286,330	\$771
Electronic markets and agents and brokers	425	73	363	359	361	\$6,036,190	\$1,286
<b>RETAIL TRADE</b>	<b>44-45</b>	<b>1,842</b>	<b>16,796</b>	<b>16,831</b>	<b>17,271</b>	<b>\$113,144,789</b>	<b>\$513</b>
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	441	43	463	457	445	\$4,099,033	\$693
Auto parts, accessories, and tire stores	4413	22	253	259	256	\$1,836,875	\$552
Furniture and home furnishings stores	442	96	637	630	651	\$4,522,053	\$544
Furniture stores	4421	36	243	245	249	\$2,398,540	\$750
Home furnishings stores	4422	60	394	385	394	\$2,123,513	\$415
Electronics and appliance stores	443	122	483	478	483	\$5,528,671	\$884
Building material and garden supply stores	444	38	724	786	758	\$8,355,510	\$850
Building material and supplies dealers	4441	35	688	750	722	\$7,540,251	\$806
Food and beverage stores	445	484	5,315	5,339	5,657	\$33,346,167	\$472
Grocery stores	4451	277	4,246	4,274	4,601	\$26,464,509	\$465
Specialty food stores	4452	36	371	357	363	\$1,972,215	\$417
Beer, wine, and liquor stores	4453	171	698	708	693	\$4,909,443	\$539
Health and personal care stores	446	151	1,936	1,918	1,923	\$13,895,898	\$555
Gasoline stations	447	90	549	544	551	\$3,169,025	\$445
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	448	332	3,113	3,160	3,318	\$18,264,597	\$439
Clothing stores	4481	229	2,363	2,393	2,562	\$13,638,617	\$430
Shoe stores	4482	45	491	490	496	\$2,256,409	\$353
Jewelry, luggage, and leather goods stores	4483	58	259	277	260	\$2,369,571	\$688
Sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores	451	129	1,395	1,352	1,329	\$6,663,328	\$377
Sporting goods and musical instrument stores	4511	38	290	284	294	\$1,426,292	\$380
Book, periodical, and music stores	4512	91	1,105	1,068	1,035	\$5,237,036	\$377
General merchandise stores	452	50	531	533	529	\$3,111,235	\$451
Department stores	4521	9	178	177	170	\$1,801,092	\$792
Other general merchandise stores	4529	41	353	356	359	\$1,310,143	\$283
Miscellaneous store retailers	453	275	1,523	1,510	1,507	\$10,750,466	\$547
Florists	4531	45	300	298	281	\$1,933,166	\$508
Office supplies, stationery, and gift stores	4532	112	685	692	690	\$4,673,827	\$522
Used merchandise stores	4533	40	210	202	200	\$1,118,635	\$422
Other miscellaneous store retailers	4539	78	328	318	336	\$3,024,838	\$712
Nonstore retailers	454	32	127	124	120	\$1,438,806	\$893
Electronic shopping and mail-order house	4541	10	57	56	56	\$1,064,554	\$1,462
Vending machine operators	4542	5	12	13	13	\$89,815	\$531
Direct selling establishments	4543	17	58	55	53	\$284,437	\$398

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<b>TRANSPORTATION AND WAREHOUSING</b>	<b>48-49</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>3,336</b>	<b>3,333</b>	<b>3,325</b>	<b>3,331</b>	<b>\$35,464,555</b>	<b>\$819</b>
Air transportation	481	40	178	166	165	170	\$3,368,609	\$1,524
Scheduled air transportation	4811	36	165	162	161	163	\$3,240,154	\$1,529
Water transportation	483	8	186	179	180	182	\$1,367,063	\$578
Truck transportation	484	35	202	214	220	212	\$1,790,527	\$650
General freight trucking	4841	13	116	116	118	117	\$1,197,276	\$787
Specialized freight trucking	4842	22	86	98	102	95	\$593,251	\$480
Transit and ground passenger transportation	485	57	1,089	1,069	1,055	1,071	\$8,978,591	\$645
Taxi and limousine service	4853	26	641	619	619	626	\$6,014,971	\$739
Other ground passenger transportation	4859	20	133	138	126	132	\$857,431	\$500
Support activities for transportation	488	39	300	316	333	316	\$8,006,172	\$1,949
Support activities for road transportation	4884	17	67	70	71	69	\$374,437	\$417
Freight transportation arrangement	4885	16	54	53	53	53	\$1,196,617	\$1,737
Couriers and messengers	492	68	650	645	648	648	\$7,169,002	\$851
<b>UTILITIES</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>2,635</b>	<b>2,627</b>	<b>2,674</b>	<b>2,645</b>	<b>\$44,195,709</b>	<b>\$1,285</b>
<b>INFORMATION</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>1,147</b>	<b>24,524</b>	<b>24,650</b>	<b>24,533</b>	<b>24,569</b>	<b>\$473,702,452</b>	<b>\$1,483</b>
Publishing industries, except Internet	511	346	9,556	9,516	9,544	9,539	\$175,840,570	\$1,418
Newspaper, book, and directory publishers	5111	279	8,525	8,497	8,540	8,521	\$141,475,377	\$1,277
Software publishers	5112	67	1,031	1,019	1,004	1,018	\$34,365,193	\$2,597
Motion picture and sound recording industries	512	179	1,663	1,782	1,664	1,703	\$25,226,356	\$1,139
Motion picture and video industries	5121	158	1,585	1,702	1,580	1,622	\$24,277,395	\$1,151
Sound recording industries	5122	21	78	80	84	81	\$948,961	\$901
Broadcasting, except Internet	515	93	4,322	4,351	4,391	4,355	\$106,262,666	\$1,877
Radio and television broadcasting	5151	82	3,970	3,996	4,045	4,004	\$100,018,949	\$1,922
Cable and other subscription programming	5152	11	352	355	346	351	\$6,243,717	\$1,368
Internet publishing and broadcasting	516	27	87	81	86	85	\$1,121,809	\$1,015
Telecommunications	517	206	4,051	4,096	3,979	4,042	\$75,547,893	\$1,438
Wired telecommunications carriers	5171	90	1,981	1,955	1,922	1,953	\$33,428,787	\$1,317
Wireless telecommunications carriers	5172	30	178	173	180	177	\$3,786,403	\$1,646
Telecommunications resellers	5173	64	779	866	770	805	\$17,252,595	\$1,649
ISPs, search portals, and data processing	518	204	2,822	2,807	2,838	2,822	\$47,500,720	\$1,295
ISPs and web search portals	5181	169	2,208	2,201	2,214	2,208	\$39,501,058	\$1,376
Data processing and related services	5182	35	614	606	624	615	\$7,999,662	\$1,001
Other information services	519	92	2,023	2,017	2,031	2,024	\$42,202,438	\$1,604
<b>FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES</b>		<b>1,889</b>	<b>27,439</b>	<b>27,522</b>	<b>27,467</b>	<b>27,476</b>	<b>\$504,174,119</b>	<b>\$1,412</b>
<b>FINANCE AND INSURANCE</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>925</b>	<b>17,123</b>	<b>17,080</b>	<b>17,062</b>	<b>17,088</b>	<b>\$381,729,397</b>	<b>\$1,718</b>
Credit intermediation and related activities	522	367	8,573	8,548	8,559	8,560	\$187,820,350	\$1,688
Depository credit intermediation	5221	219	3,822	3,821	3,832	3,825	\$51,811,256	\$1,042
Securities, commodity contracts, investment	523	274	2,984	2,949	2,949	2,961	\$95,613,737	\$2,484
Securities and commodity contracts brokers	5231	100	1,969	1,922	1,896	1,929	\$60,599,234	\$2,417
Securities and commodity exchanges	5232	8	14	15	14	14	\$399,807	\$2,197
Other financial investment activities	5239	166	1,001	1,012	1,039	1,017	\$34,614,696	\$2,618
Insurance carriers and related activities	524	228	4,252	4,244	4,253	4,250	\$71,583,283	\$1,296
Insurance carriers	5241	107	3,390	3,404	3,387	3,394	\$53,831,250	\$1,220
Insurance agencies, brokerages, and related activities	5242	121	862	840	866	856	\$17,752,033	\$1,595
<b>REAL ESTATE AND RENTAL AND LEASING</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>10,316</b>	<b>10,442</b>	<b>10,405</b>	<b>10,388</b>	<b>\$122,444,722</b>	<b>\$907</b>
Real estate	531	879	9,183	9,317	9,285	9,262	\$114,405,358	\$950
Lessors of real estate	5311	289	3,514	3,575	3,496	3,528	\$37,507,749	\$818
Offices of real estate agents and brokers	5312	197	968	999	1,006	991	\$15,358,051	\$1,192
Activities related to real estate	5313	393	4,701	4,743	4,783	4,742	\$61,539,558	\$998
Automotive equipment rental and leasing	5321	21	212	218	214	215	\$1,391,473	\$498
Consumer goods rental	5322	31	385	407	408	400	\$2,678,013	\$515
General rental centers	5323	7	70	74	80	75	\$698,777	\$717
Machinery and equipment rental and leasing	5324	24	465	425	417	436	\$3,257,493	\$575

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<b>PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS SERVICES</b>		<b>7,618</b>	<b>133,763</b>	<b>133,956</b>	<b>134,923</b>	<b>134,214</b>	<b>\$2,196,810,834</b>	<b>\$1,259</b>
<b>PROFESSIONAL AND TECHNICAL SERVICES</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>5,913</b>	<b>89,995</b>	<b>89,910</b>	<b>91,707</b>	<b>90,537</b>	<b>\$1,844,177,068</b>	<b>\$1,567</b>
Professional and technical services	541	5,913	89,995	89,910	91,707	90,537	\$1,844,177,068	\$1,567
Legal services	5411	1,452	32,601	32,692	33,769	33,021	\$781,816,624	\$1,821
Accounting and bookkeeping services	5412	245	4,540	4,289	4,467	4,432	\$78,092,628	\$1,355
Architectural and engineering services	5413	412	6,440	6,444	6,487	6,457	\$114,566,823	\$1,365
Specialized design services	5414	157	847	815	785	816	\$11,504,079	\$1,084
Computer systems design and related services	5415	901	11,281	11,258	11,271	11,270	\$184,755,608	\$1,261
Management and technical consulting services	5416	1,235	11,224	11,277	11,425	11,309	\$224,876,904	\$1,530
Scientific research and development services	5417	547	15,033	15,100	15,331	15,155	\$242,080,723	\$1,229
Advertising and related services	5418	778	5,935	5,909	6,054	5,966	\$145,916,376	\$1,881
Other professional and technical services	5419	186	2,094	2,126	2,118	2,113	\$60,567,303	\$2,205
<b>MANAGEMENT OF COMPANIES AND ENTERPRISES</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>1,535</b>	<b>1,500</b>	<b>1,519</b>	<b>1,518</b>	<b>\$42,042,836</b>	<b>\$2,130</b>
<b>ADMINISTRATIVE AND WASTE SERVICES</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>1,624</b>	<b>42,233</b>	<b>42,546</b>	<b>41,697</b>	<b>42,159</b>	<b>\$310,590,930</b>	<b>\$567</b>
Administrative and support services	561	1,572	41,810	42,102	41,217	41,710	\$305,798,295	\$564
Office administrative services	5611	202	3,962	4,010	3,995	3,989	\$55,724,597	\$1,075
Facilities support services	5612	30	1,438	1,429	1,452	1,440	\$11,259,548	\$601
Employment services	5613	481	10,920	11,408	10,810	11,046	\$85,802,938	\$598
Business support services	5614	188	3,225	3,178	3,231	3,211	\$35,739,398	\$856
Travel arrangement and reservation services	5615	187	1,182	1,047	1,081	1,103	\$12,400,449	\$865
Investigation and security services	5616	124	7,799	7,542	7,563	7,635	\$54,658,668	\$551
Services to buildings and dwellings	5617	264	12,552	12,648	12,473	12,558	\$45,489,468	\$279
Other support services	5619	96	732	840	612	728	\$4,723,229	\$499
Waste management and remediation services	562	52	423	444	480	449	\$4,792,635	\$821
Waste collection	5621	25	202	210	215	209	\$1,968,816	\$725
Waste treatment and disposal	5622	6	42	43	45	43	\$522,835	\$935
Remediation and other waste services	5629	21	179	191	220	197	\$2,300,984	\$898
<b>EDUCATION AND HEALTH SERVICES</b>		<b>2,395</b>	<b>81,725</b>	<b>82,195</b>	<b>81,507</b>	<b>81,809</b>	<b>\$908,300,643</b>	<b>\$854</b>
<b>EDUCATIONAL SERVICES</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>451</b>	<b>32,113</b>	<b>31,990</b>	<b>30,914</b>	<b>31,672</b>	<b>\$356,125,140</b>	<b>\$865</b>
Elementary and secondary schools	6111	95	4,891	4,930	4,994	4,938	\$45,797,850	\$713
Colleges and universities	6113	54	23,384	23,252	22,257	22,964	\$276,278,527	\$925
Business, computer and management training	6114	96	897	932	927	919	\$10,850,540	\$908
Other schools and instruction	6116	105	1,621	1,559	1,430	1,537	\$10,764,128	\$539
Educational support services	6117	74	792	792	786	790	\$10,770,012	\$1,049
<b>HEALTH CARE AND SOCIAL ASSISTANCE</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>1,944</b>	<b>49,612</b>	<b>50,205</b>	<b>50,593</b>	<b>50,137</b>	<b>\$552,175,503</b>	<b>\$847</b>
Ambulatory health care services	621	1,256	10,442	10,500	10,534	10,492	\$148,108,879	\$1,086
Offices of physicians	6211	626	4,033	4,041	4,031	4,035	\$69,476,987	\$1,325
Offices of dentists	6212	326	1,324	1,334	1,361	1,340	\$17,755,732	\$1,019
Offices of other health practitioners	6213	157	668	670	678	672	\$6,908,711	\$791
Outpatient care centers	6214	67	3,054	3,095	3,111	3,087	\$41,958,986	\$1,046
Medical and diagnostic laboratories	6215	29	242	235	230	236	\$3,703,187	\$1,207
Home health care services	6216	21	704	701	695	700	\$4,120,077	\$453
Other ambulatory health care services	6219	30	417	424	428	423	\$4,185,199	\$761
Hospitals	622	22	22,146	22,105	22,177	22,143	\$272,506,186	\$947
General medical and surgical hospitals	6221	15	21,585	21,535	21,594	21,571	\$267,507,597	\$954
Nursing and residential care facilities	623	162	7,195	7,289	7,294	7,259	\$48,617,801	\$515
Nursing care facilities	6231	14	1,532	1,549	1,564	1,548	\$10,374,056	\$516
Residential mental health facilities	6232	84	1,392	1,406	1,398	1,399	\$8,585,279	\$472
Community care facilities for the elderly	6233	20	2,545	2,580	2,574	2,566	\$18,636,295	\$559
Other residential care facilities	6239	44	1,726	1,754	1,758	1,746	\$11,022,171	\$486
Social assistance	624	504	9,829	10,311	10,588	10,243	\$82,942,637	\$623
Individual and family services	6241	194	2,648	2,611	2,637	2,632	\$19,913,937	\$582
Emergency and other relief services	6242	81	2,458	2,914	3,114	2,829	\$31,641,702	\$860
Vocational rehabilitation services	6243	61	1,871	1,910	1,899	1,893	\$16,380,127	\$666
Child day care services	6244	168	2,852	2,876	2,938	2,889	\$15,006,871	\$400

\*/ \*\*/ \*\*\* See notes on page 6.

## SECTOR/INDUSTRY

## SECOND QUARTER 2003 \*

	NAICS Code **	Number of Reporting Units	Employment			Quarterly Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage Per Worker***
			April	May	June			
<b>LEISURE AND HOSPITALITY</b>		<b>1,929</b>	<b>50,234</b>	<b>50,749</b>	<b>50,383</b>	<b>50,455</b>	<b>\$314,870,338</b>	<b>\$480</b>
<b>ARTS, ENTERTAINMENT, AND RECREATION</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>6,187</b>	<b>6,190</b>	<b>5,789</b>	<b>6,055</b>	<b>\$55,950,609</b>	<b>\$711</b>
Performing arts and spectator sports	711	183	3,311	3,218	2,764	3,098	\$40,942,779	\$1,017
Performing arts companies	7111	54	1,603	1,656	1,196	1,485	\$10,141,990	\$525
Spectator sports	7112	6	399	374	394	389	\$22,816,809	\$4,512
Promoters of performing arts and sports	7113	33	1,118	1,001	982	1,034	\$4,884,328	\$363
Agents and managers for public figures	7114	18	67	66	67	67	\$1,159,893	\$1,332
Independent artists, writers, and performers	7115	72	124	121	125	123	\$1,939,759	\$1,213
Museums, historical sites, zoos, and parks	712	24	798	824	835	819	\$6,016,439	\$565
Amusements, gambling, and recreation	713	88	2,078	2,148	2,190	2,139	\$8,991,391	\$323
<b>ACCOMMODATION AND FOOD SERVICES</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>1,634</b>	<b>44,047</b>	<b>44,559</b>	<b>44,594</b>	<b>44,400</b>	<b>\$258,919,729</b>	<b>\$449</b>
Accommodation	721	120	14,470	14,702	14,567	14,580	\$117,546,823	\$620
Food services and drinking places	722	1,514	29,577	29,857	30,027	29,820	\$141,372,906	\$365
Full-service restaurants	7221	566	15,109	15,205	15,329	15,214	\$76,953,594	\$389
Limited-service eating places	7222	731	8,786	8,884	8,937	8,869	\$36,827,925	\$319
Special food services	7223	164	4,629	4,692	4,693	4,671	\$23,479,322	\$387
Drinking places, alcoholic beverages	7224	53	1,053	1,076	1,068	1,066	\$4,112,065	\$297
<b>OTHER SERVICES, EXCEPT PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>7,062</b>	<b>52,383</b>	<b>52,635</b>	<b>52,892</b>	<b>52,637</b>	<b>\$716,304,725</b>	<b>\$1,047</b>
Repair and maintenance	811	172	803	815	794	804	\$5,386,423	\$515
Automotive repair and maintenance	8111	110	517	520	521	519	\$2,866,659	\$425
Household goods repair and maintenance	8114	33	120	127	121	123	\$769,327	\$481
Personal and laundry services	812	586	5,700	5,742	5,750	5,731	\$35,839,696	\$481
Personal care services	8121	223	1,555	1,561	1,617	1,578	\$11,714,876	\$571
Death care services	8122	23	204	201	204	203	\$1,535,771	\$582
Drycleaning and laundry services	8123	144	1,041	1,021	1,033	1,032	\$5,237,758	\$390
Other personal services	8129	196	2,900	2,959	2,896	2,918	\$17,351,291	\$457
Membership associations and organization	813	2,532	41,792	41,975	42,257	42,008	\$656,936,980	\$1,203
Religious organizations	8131	116	1,813	1,805	1,800	1,806	\$17,736,371	\$755
Grantmaking and giving services	8132	329	2,756	2,801	2,808	2,788	\$39,682,893	\$1,095
Social advocacy organizations	8133	702	8,438	8,446	8,601	8,495	\$109,772,000	\$994
Civic and social organizations	8134	165	3,167	3,195	3,234	3,199	\$31,691,935	\$762
Professional and similar organizations	8139	1,220	25,618	25,728	25,814	25,720	\$458,053,781	\$1,370
Private households	814	3,772	4,088	4,103	4,091	4,094	\$18,141,626	\$341
<b>UNCLASSIFIED ESTABLISHMENTS</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>3,282</b>	<b>6,281</b>	<b>6,739</b>	<b>6,992</b>	<b>6,671</b>	<b>\$80,033,226</b>	<b>\$923</b>

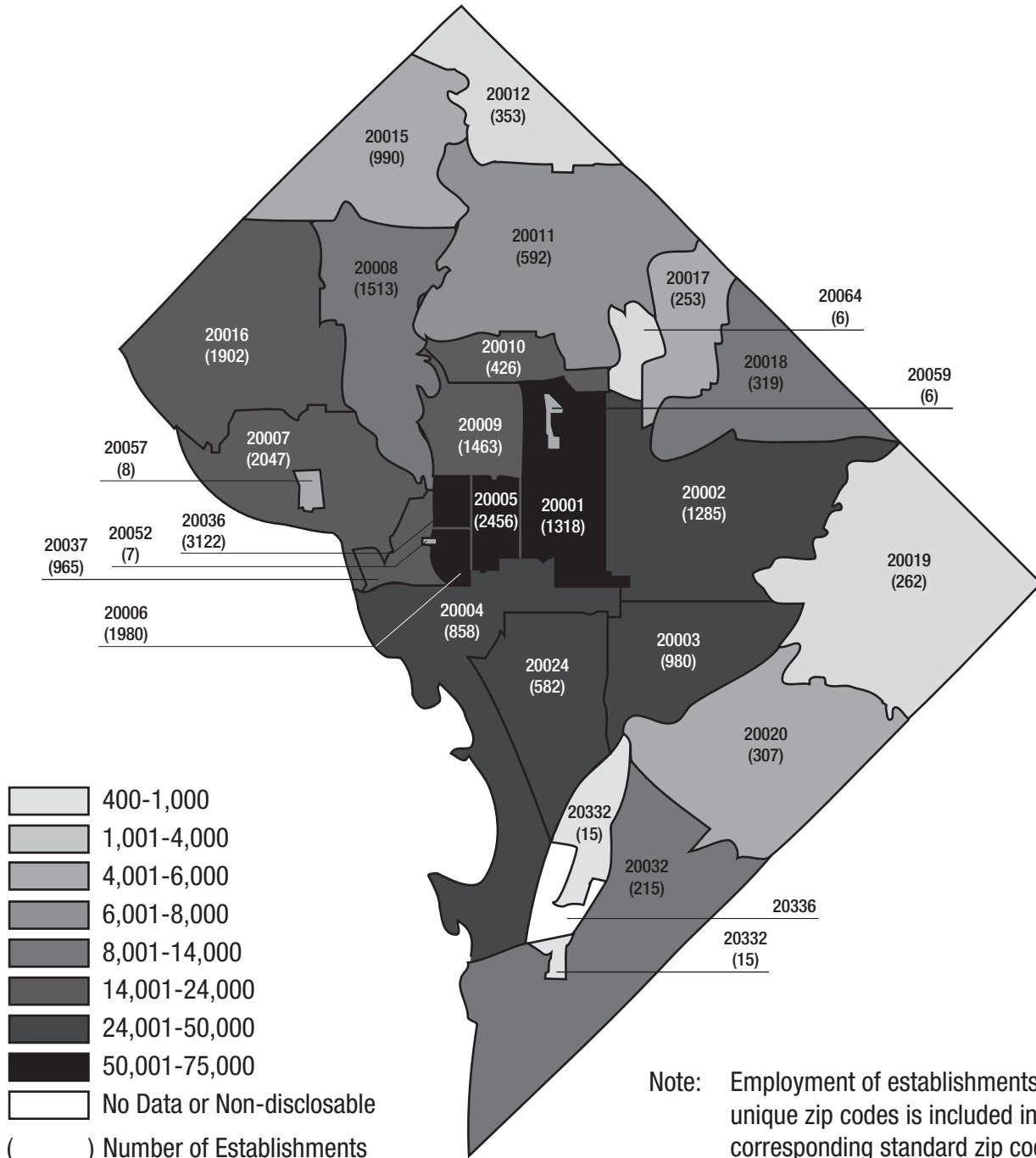
\* **Note:** Second quarter 2003 as presented in this publication is preliminary based on information compiled and collected through December 2003. Latest available data on covered employment and wages for the whole year 2003 will be presented in a separate publication. Details may not equal totals because some confidential or non-disclosable data are not shown in this publication. Industries for which data are confidential are not shown. Some non-confidential data are also not included if they can be used to derive confidential data within an industry or sector.

\*\* NAICS is North American Industry Classification Code.

\*\*\* In some cases, wages are affected by seasonal changes in business activity, the number of weeks or hours worked, if pay periods are greater or less than usual and if extra compensation is given in the form of bonuses, profits distributed, or other unidentified lump-sum payments.



## Average Employment by Zip Code (Total All Sectors)



# Nature and Limitations of the Data on Covered Employment and Wages

The information in this publication is based on unemployment insurance tax reports submitted quarterly by employers subject to the District of Columbia's unemployment insurance laws and/or employers who employ federal civilian workers, under the Unemployment Compensation for Federal Employees Program. Covered employment and wages are reported by each firm for each month using the payroll period that includes the twelfth of each month. Total wages, taxable wages and contributions for the payroll period that includes the twelfth of each month are reported for the entire quarter.

Employment and wage data contained in this publication are classified by industry based on the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS).

The Department of Employment Services, Office of Labor Market Research and Information, under a confidentiality agreement with the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, does not publish or release employment, wage or any other data that could be identified with an individual employer or employee.

## Coverage

Jobs that are exempt or otherwise not covered by unemployment insurance are not included in covered employment. In the private sector, this includes certain wage and salary agricultural employees, self-employed farmers, self-employed nonagricultural workers, domestic workers and unpaid family workers. Workers covered by the railroad unemployment insurance system and members of the military, including those stationed in the United States, are also excluded. Certain types of nonprofit employers, such as religious organizations, are given a choice of coverage or exclusion in a number of states, so data for their employees are reported to a limited degree. The District of Columbia includes nonprofit employers such as religious organizations in its covered employment and wage data.

The strength of covered employment data is its comprehensiveness, which results in more accurate data and substantial industry detail. A limitation to the covered data is that it is not as timely as other data series such as the Current Employment Statistics data, which is based on a monthly survey of a smaller number of reporters.

## Industrial Classification

Covered employment and wage data from 1975 through 1987 were coded according to the 1972 Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Manual. From 1988 forward, covered data were coded according to the 1987 SIC Manual. Beginning with data for First Quarter 2001, covered data are collected and made available under both the 1987 SIC Manual and the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS). NAICS represents a change in the conceptual framework of establishment classification. Unlike the SIC system, which classifies establishments by type of activity in which they are primarily engaged, NAICS is based on a production-oriented or supply-based conceptual framework. This conceptual framework groups establishments into industries according to similarity in the processes used to produce goods or services. Full implementation of NAICS by federal statistical agencies will take place over the course of several years. After NAICS completely replaces the SIC system, dual reporting will no longer be done. Covered employment and wages data will eventually be compiled and classified according to NAICS.

## Purposes and Uses

Covered employment data are instrumental in determining federal allocations of program grants to state and local governments. These outputs serve as the basic source of benchmark information for employment by industry and employment by size of establishment in the Current Employment Statistics program, the Occupational Employment Statistics program and the Occupational Safety and Health Statistics program. The Bureau of Economic Analysis of the U.S. Department of Commerce uses this data as a base for estimating a large part of the wage and salary component of personal income accounts. The Social Security Administration and state governments also use covered data in updating economic assumptions and forecasting trends in their taxable wage base. Business and public and private research organizations find the covered employment statistics to be one of the best sources of detailed employment and wage information. Covered employment and wages are also used in other programs and activities of the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Covered employment data have broad significance in evaluating labor trends and major industry developments. They are used in time series analysis, in industry comparisons and in special studies such as analysis of wage by size of establishment. Covered employment and wage data are used by the U.S. Department of Labor's Employment and Training Administration and various state employment security agencies in administering the employment security program.

# North American Industry Classification System (NAICS)

NAICS (pronounced “nakes”) is the new North American Industry Classification System. It replaces the decades-old Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) system. It provides a better way to classify individual businesses.

## Background

For more than 60 years, the Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) system has served as the structure for the collection, aggregation, presentation and analysis of the U.S. economy. An industry consists of a group of establishments primarily engaged in producing or handling the same product or group of products or in rendering the same services. Industry definitions used in U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics programs come from the 1987 Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Manual. Because the SIC is used by many other federal government statistical programs, it is possible for users to assemble a comprehensive statistical picture of an industry.

The SIC system was developed in the 1930's at a time when manufacturing dominated the U.S. economic scene. Over the last 60 years, there have been numerous revisions to the SIC system, reflecting the economy's changing industrial composition. However, despite these revisions, the system has received increasing criticism about its ability to handle rapid changes in the U.S. economy. Recent developments in information services, new forms of health care provision, expansion of services and high-tech manufacturing are examples of industrial changes that cannot be studied under the current SIC system.

## Introducing NAICS

Developed by the United States, in cooperation with Canada and Mexico, the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) represents one of the most profound changes for statistical programs focusing on emerging economic activities. NAICS, developed using a production-oriented conceptual framework, groups establishments into industries based on the activity in which they are primarily engaged. Establishments using similar raw material inputs, similar capital equipment and similar labor are classified in the same industry. In other words, establishments that do similar things in similar ways are classified together.

NAICS provides a new tool that ensures that economic statistics reflect our nation's changing economy. However, improved statistics will result in time series breaks. Every sector of the economy has been restructured and redefined. A new information sector combines communications, publishing, motion picture and sound recording and online services, recognizing our information-based economy. Manufacturing is restructured to recognize new high-tech industries. A new sub-sector is devoted to computers and electronics, including reproduction of software. Retail Trade is redefined. In addition, eating and drinking places are transferred to a new Accommodation and Food Services sector.

The difference between Retail and Wholesale is now based on how each store conducts business. For example, many computer stores are reclassified from wholesale to retail. Nine new service sectors and 250 new service industries are recognized.

## Why is NAICS better?

**Relevancy.** NAICS identifies more industries that contribute to today's economy; more than 350 new industries and nine new service industry sectors. The Manufacturing sector is restructured to recognize new high-tech industries.

**Comparability.** NAICS was developed by the United States, Canada and Mexico to produce comparable data.

**Consistency.** NAICS uses a consistent principle: businesses that use similar production processes are grouped together.

**Adaptability.** NAICS will be reviewed every five years, so classifications and information keep up with our changing economy.

**Quality.** NAICS will improve key measures of U.S. economic activity such as retail sales, manufacturers' shipments and service industry receipts.

## NAICS Coding Structure

NAICS uses a six digit hierarchical coding system to classify all economic activity into 20 industry sectors. Five sectors are mainly goods-producing sectors and 15 are entirely services-producing sectors. This six digit hierarchical structure allows greater coding flexibility than the four digit structure of the SIC. NAICS allows for the identification of 1,170 industries compared to the 1,004 found in the SIC system.

## Sources of information on NAICS:

U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics  
U.S. Bureau of the Census



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